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Confirmation No.: 9831 ) Examiner: Dhairya A. Patel  
Title: METHOD FOR PROVIDING ADDRESS CHANGE NOTIFICATION IN AN  
ELECTRONIC MESSAGE FORWARDING SYSTEM

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**PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR 1.136(a))**

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Sir:

This is a petition for an extension of time for a period of one month to respond to the Office Action mailed on January 14, 2005. A response in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested is filed herewith.

The fee for a one month extension of time is \$120.00. Please charge this fee and any additional extension fee required or credit any excess fee paid to Deposit Account Number 16-1885. A duplicate copy of this petition is attached.

Respectfully submitted,

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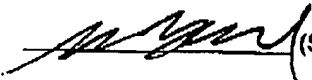
  
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Enclosed please find a response to the January 14, 2005 Office Action in the above referenced application.

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